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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

APPLICANT: Shih-Chieh Hung ART UNIT: 1636
APPLICATION No.: 09/761,893 EXAMINER: Taral Garvey
FILING DATE: 01/17/2001

FOR: Method of isolating mesenchymal stem cells

Attn: ART UNIT 1636
Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Date: 4/24/2006

AMENDMENT

In response to the last Office Advisory Action mailed on 2/22/2006, the applicant would like to cease the appointment of ***Fish & Richardson P.C.*** to conduct all business about the application. Besides, the applicant will respond by himself to the Office Advisory Action and make following argument.

REMARKS

1. The Office Advisory action mentioned that "in response to applicant's arguments, the new pore size range of 0.4 to 20 microns constitutes new